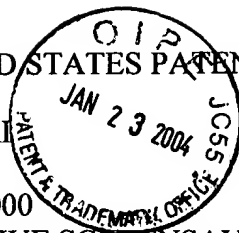


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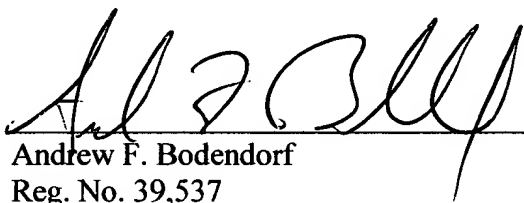
ELECTION AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In response to the restriction requirement mailed August 26, 2003, please amend the application as indicated on the following pages.

It is respectfully submitted that in view of Applicant's amendments and remarks, the application is now ready for examination, and a favorable examination on the merits is respectfully solicited. If the Examiner has any questions, he is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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